

YouGov / Sunday Times Survey Results

Sample Size: 2206 GB Adults
Fieldwork: 7th - 8th April 2011

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Headline Voting Intention

[Excluding Don't Knows and Wouldn't Votes]

Con	36	100	0	0	86	2	12	34	37	30	36	32	42	37	34	39	46	37	27	14
Lab	43	0	100	0	5	94	41	43	43	44	47	47	35	39	49	41	32	46	56	42
Lib Dem	9	0	0	100	2	1	34	8	10	12	8	9	9	11	6	10	12	9	6	6
Other	12	0	0	0	7	4	12	15	9	15	8	13	14	12	12	10	9	9	11	38

Other Parties Voting Intention

UKIP	4	0	0	0	4	1	2	4	4	1	1	5	6	4	4	5	4	4	4	3
SNP / PCY	3	0	0	0	0	1	4	3	3	2	2	4	4	4	2	0	0	1	0	32
Green	2	0	0	0	1	1	5	3	2	5	3	2	1	3	2	3	2	1	3	3
BNP	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	3	1	4	1	1	2	2	2	0	1	2	3	0
Respect	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Other	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0

Non Voters

Would Not Vote	7	0	0	0	3	1	4	6	8	10	7	8	5	4	10	7	9	6	6	4
Don't know	14	0	0	0	11	8	19	10	17	16	17	12	12	14	14	14	13	15	12	17

Do you approve or disapprove of the Government's record to date?

	6-7 Apr		7-8 Apr																		
Approve	29	30	77	1	53	63	4	23	31	29	24	31	27	36	33	26	32	35	32	26	18
Disapprove	55	57	10	96	32	22	90	64	59	55	60	53	60	54	54	61	54	49	56	63	72
Don't know	16	13	12	3	15	15	7	13	10	16	16	15	13	10	13	13	14	17	12	10	11

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Unweighted Sample																				

On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 means you will definitely not vote, and 10 means you will definitely vote, how likely are you to vote [in these elections/ the referendum]* on May 5th?

0 - will definitely not vote

1

2

3

4

5

6

7

8

9

10 - will definitely vote

Don't know

* exact wording differed based on geographical region of respondents

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The referendum question reads as follows:
At present, the UK uses the "first past the post" system to elect MPs to the House of Commons. Should the "alternative vote" system be used instead?

If this referendum were held tomorrow, how would you vote?

[Adjusted for likelihood to vote]

Yes	40	39	20	47	75	21	40	63	44	35	48	43	39	33	43	34	45	37	35	39	48
No	37	38	59	31	9	58	37	17	41	35	26	29	38	50	38	39	30	41	42	37	34
Don't know	22	22	21	22	16	21	23	20	15	30	24	28	23	17	19	27	23	22	23	23	17
Would not vote	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	1

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Unweighted Sample																				

If this referendum were held tomorrow, how would you vote?

[Not adjusted for likelihood to vote]

Yes	34	19	44	73	20	37	57	39	30	39	36	34	31	39	29	38	32	32	34	44
No	34	56	29	9	53	35	17	39	30	26	26	34	46	34	34	27	36	37	35	30
Don't know	26	25	26	18	24	26	23	18	34	29	33	26	19	23	30	27	27	26	27	20
Would not vote	5	1	1	1	3	2	2	4	6	6	5	6	5	4	8	7	5	5	4	6

The electoral commission are currently sending out a booklet to every household in the UK explaining First Past the Post and the Alternative Vote. You may also receive leaflets from the YES or NO campaigns. Thinking only about the booklet from the Electoral Commission, have you...

Received this booklet and read it	21	24	19	28	25	21	22	24	18	13	12	21	31	22	19	18	23	22	19	16
Received this booklet, but have not read it yet	20	20	18	19	20	18	21	17	22	13	21	18	24	20	19	19	21	23	16	20
Have not received this booklet	54	51	58	53	52	57	54	54	54	64	58	57	43	53	55	55	51	52	58	59
Not sure or don't remember	5	4	4	0	4	4	3	5	6	10	8	4	3	4	7	8	5	3	7	6

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Do you think that David Cameron is doing well or badly as Prime Minister?

Very well	8	7	22	0	2	17	1	2	8	6	1	9	7	8	7	7	6	8	7	7	4
Fairly well	36	36	72	7	67	64	8	35	35	37	37	34	32	41	39	31	36	44	37	26	25
TOTAL WELL	44	43	94	7	69	81	9	37	43	43	38	43	39	49	46	38	42	52	44	33	29
Fairly badly	26	27	4	42	20	10	41	35	27	27	26	29	28	24	28	25	29	23	26	30	33
Very badly	23	25	1	49	6	5	45	22	27	22	23	21	29	24	21	29	21	18	26	31	33
TOTAL BADLY	49	52	5	91	26	15	86	57	54	49	49	50	57	48	49	54	50	41	52	61	66
Don't know	7	6	1	1	6	3	5	5	4	8	13	8	5	3	5	8	7	7	4	6	5

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Unweighted Sample																				

Do you think Ed Miliband is doing well or badly as leader of the Labour party?

Very well	4	4	1	12	1	1	9	3	5	4	9	4	4	3	3	6	5	3	6	6	1
Fairly well	31	29	14	52	24	15	49	33	29	29	28	28	29	30	30	27	27	27	29	32	27
TOTAL WELL	35	33	15	64	25	16	58	36	34	33	37	32	33	33	33	33	32	30	35	38	28
Fairly badly	32	30	39	21	43	37	22	33	32	29	24	28	31	34	35	24	31	30	28	30	35
Very badly	16	18	30	3	16	29	3	13	22	13	11	16	17	22	18	17	18	21	16	13	21
TOTAL BADLY	48	48	69	24	59	66	25	46	54	42	35	44	48	56	53	41	49	51	44	43	56
Don't know	18	19	16	12	16	18	16	18	13	25	29	25	18	10	14	25	20	18	21	19	16

Do you think that Nick Clegg is doing well or badly as leader of the Liberal Democrats?

Very well	2	3	4	1	13	3	1	4	3	3	1	3	2	3	3	2	3	4	3	1	2
Fairly well	23	23	49	5	54	43	4	24	21	25	17	21	24	28	25	21	23	28	23	21	14
TOTAL WELL	25	26	53	6	67	46	5	28	24	28	18	24	26	31	28	23	26	32	26	22	16
Fairly badly	27	27	30	23	23	29	25	30	27	27	29	27	26	27	29	24	30	25	26	25	34
Very badly	37	38	10	70	5	17	66	35	44	33	36	36	40	38	37	40	35	33	39	45	45
TOTAL BADLY	64	65	40	93	28	46	91	65	71	60	65	63	66	65	66	64	65	58	65	70	79
Don't know	11	9	7	2	4	9	4	6	4	13	17	12	8	4	6	12	8	10	10	8	6

Do you think the Conservative and Liberal Democrat coalition partners are working together well or badly?

Very well	5	5	11	1	13	7	1	5	5	5	5	5	5	4	6	4	4	6	6	5	1
Fairly well	38	37	74	9	64	66	10	38	37	38	30	33	37	45	41	32	40	46	36	29	30
TOTAL WELL	43	42	85	10	77	73	11	43	42	43	35	38	42	49	47	36	44	52	42	34	31
Fairly badly	26	27	10	39	14	16	37	32	28	26	27	29	28	25	28	27	29	22	26	31	36
Very badly	23	24	2	49	5	6	46	21	27	22	27	23	26	22	20	30	19	18	28	31	28
TOTAL BADLY	49	51	12	88	19	22	83	53	55	48	54	52	54	47	48	57	48	40	54	62	64
Don't know	8	6	3	3	5	4	6	4	4	9	11	10	5	3	5	8	9	8	5	5	5

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It will be																					
Very good	3	3	8	0	7	6	1	3	3	3	2	4	2	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	2
Fairly good	20	20	47	1	45	41	2	18	22	18	17	20	18	24	24	15	23	25	21	14	10
TOTAL GOOD	23	23	55	1	52	47	3	21	25	21	19	24	20	28	27	18	26	28	24	17	12
Fairly bad	22	24	12	31	19	17	31	30	23	25	22	25	27	21	25	23	24	24	22	25	30
Very bad	30	30	4	58	7	10	55	29	32	27	27	27	33	29	27	34	26	24	31	37	36
TOTAL BAD	52	54	16	89	26	27	86	59	55	52	49	52	60	50	52	57	50	48	53	62	66
ce either way	19	18	24	8	20	22	7	19	16	20	24	17	16	19	18	18	17	18	20	17	18
Don't know	6	5	5	1	1	5	3	2	3	7	8	7	4	2	3	7	7	6	2	4	4
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Very well	5	5	15	0	6	12	1	2	6	4	3	5	4	7	6	4	4	6	3	5	3
Fairly well	32	31	71	4	59	61	6	28	31	32	29	30	29	37	35	27	33	37	36	24	20
TOTAL WELL	37	36	86	4	65	73	7	30	37	36	32	35	33	44	41	31	37	43	39	29	23
Fairly badly	27	29	7	42	23	14	41	37	29	29	29	33	29	26	29	28	26	28	26	32	35
Very badly	26	26	1	51	5	7	48	25	28	25	29	21	30	26	23	31	24	20	29	31	37
TOTAL BADLY	53	55	8	93	28	21	89	62	57	54	58	54	59	52	52	59	50	48	55	63	72
Don't know	10	8	6	3	8	7	5	8	6	11	11	11	8	5	7	10	13	9	6	8	6
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Very good	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quite good	4	4	8	2	4	7	2	3	5	3	10	4	3	4	5	3	4	4	4	6	2
TOTAL GOOD	4	4	8	2	4	7	2	3	5	3	10	5	3	4	5	3	4	4	4	6	2
ood nor bad	16	17	26	13	25	22	12	18	19	15	17	21	17	15	17	18	23	19	15	16	11
Quite bad	48	46	50	47	53	48	50	51	44	49	35	47	45	52	51	40	46	47	50	42	49
Very bad	29	29	15	38	18	21	35	27	31	28	31	24	34	29	25	35	23	27	30	33	38
TOTAL BAD	77	75	65	85	71	69	85	78	75	77	66	71	79	81	76	75	69	74	80	75	87
Don't know	3	2	1	1	0	1	1	2	1	4	7	4	1	1	2	3	4	3	1	3	1

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How do you think the financial situation of your household will change over the next 12 months?

Get a lot better	1	1	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
Get a little better	9	8	15	3	16	14	3	8	9	7	14	11	6	5	9	7	10	8	8	7	9
TOTAL BETTER	10	9	16	4	18	14	4	9	10	8	14	12	7	5	10	7	11	9	8	8	9
Stay about the same	27	26	36	20	35	30	22	26	26	27	29	30	21	28	29	23	30	28	26	25	20
Get a little worse	38	41	40	43	38	40	41	44	39	42	29	35	43	48	40	42	34	41	43	42	41
Get a lot worse	21	21	6	33	9	12	30	19	22	20	20	17	26	19	17	25	17	19	21	22	27
TOTAL WORSE	59	62	46	76	47	52	71	63	61	62	49	52	69	67	57	67	51	60	64	64	68
Don't know	3	3	2	1	1	2	3	2	3	4	8	5	2	1	3	3	7	3	1	3	2

How well or badly do you think David Cameron has responded to the situation in Libya?

Very well	9	6	16	1	8	12	1	4	8	4	7	6	4	8	7	5	9	7	5	5	3
Fairly well	37	36	54	25	51	53	25	36	39	33	33	38	35	36	39	32	32	36	40	35	36
TOTAL WELL	46	42	70	26	59	65	26	40	47	37	40	44	39	44	46	37	41	43	45	40	39
Fairly badly	22	23	14	32	20	17	28	27	23	23	19	23	25	22	24	21	19	25	21	24	25
Very badly	14	17	6	24	8	9	25	12	21	13	16	10	20	20	14	20	17	13	19	19	21
TOTAL BADLY	36	40	20	56	28	26	53	39	44	36	35	33	45	42	38	41	36	38	40	43	46
Don't know	18	18	10	19	14	9	21	21	10	26	25	24	16	14	16	22	24	20	15	17	15

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Do you think Britain, France, the US and other countries are right or wrong to take military action in Libya?

Right	38	40	51	37	54	49	35	39	47	33	41	43	38	39	43	36	36	40	40	40	42
Wrong	44	39	31	44	30	34	46	37	37	40	34	31	41	45	38	40	36	37	40	41	39
Don't know	18	21	18	19	16	17	19	24	16	26	26	26	22	15	19	24	28	23	19	19	19

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Overall do you think the coalition's military action in Libya is going well or badly?

Very well	2	2	5	1	2	4	2	2	4	1	4	4	3	0	3	2	3	3	4	2	0
Fairly well	38	33	49	27	43	47	25	30	39	27	25	36	34	33	34	32	28	35	35	31	36
TOTAL WELL	40	35	54	28	45	51	27	32	43	28	29	40	37	33	37	34	31	38	39	33	36
Fairly badly	27	28	20	33	26	21	32	30	30	26	26	24	25	35	30	25	32	26	24	31	28
Very badly	6	10	4	14	4	5	15	9	11	8	13	6	11	10	9	11	8	8	11	11	14
TOTAL BADLY	33	38	24	47	30	26	47	39	41	34	39	30	36	45	39	36	40	34	35	42	42
Don't know	26	27	22	24	25	23	26	29	16	37	32	30	27	22	24	30	29	29	27	26	22

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Would you support or oppose Britain and other Western countries providing arms to the rebels in Libya to help them defeat Colonel Gaddafi's forces?

Support	28	29	39	27	35	37	26	24	36	21	29	25	27	33	29	28	28	27	30	29	32
Oppose	46	45	40	48	39	39	48	49	44	45	37	44	47	45	47	41	41	46	43	46	44
Don't know	26	27	21	25	26	24	26	27	20	33	33	30	26	22	24	31	31	27	27	25	24

How long do you believe the allies should be prepared to continue to support the rebels with air cover?

Should stop immediately	19	21	15	28	12	18	27	18	21	22	16	17	27	22	19	25	24	19	25	22	17
Up to a month	10	9	11	9	9	10	7	11	8	10	8	10	7	12	11	7	10	9	6	12	7
Up to three months	13	14	14	14	24	14	14	15	17	11	15	14	12	16	15	12	10	12	15	17	15
Up to six months	5	5	8	5	7	8	5	5	7	4	4	4	7	6	6	5	5	7	6	4	4
Up to a year	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	1	0	2	3	1	2	2	2	1	2	2	3
For as long as it takes to resolve the crisis in Libya	29	29	39	24	33	36	22	29	33	26	33	29	29	29	29	30	26	34	29	25	30
Don't know	21	19	10	19	11	12	23	21	12	25	24	24	17	14	18	20	23	18	17	19	24

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Some people have suggested that one possible solution to the crisis in Libya would be a partitioned state, with Gaddafi remaining in power in the West of the country while the rebels formed a new country in the East. Do you think this would be an acceptable or unacceptable solution to the crisis?

Acceptable	17	17	16	24	19	15	19	18	16	20	15	16	19	19	15	15	18	17	17	15
Unacceptable	56	59	60	56	56	58	57	63	50	49	57	58	56	56	57	54	54	57	57	64
Don't know	27	24	24	21	25	27	24	19	34	31	28	26	25	25	29	30	28	26	26	21

How much, if at all, do you trust the following people to make the right decisions on the NHS?

David Cameron

A lot	11	35	0	6	30	2	2	13	10	5	12	10	15	12	10	12	14	10	10	7
A little	25	49	6	47	45	7	24	25	25	30	24	22	28	28	21	26	29	26	22	17
TOTAL A LITTLE/ A LOT	36	84	6	53	75	9	26	38	35	35	36	32	43	40	31	38	43	36	32	24
Not a lot	20	7	27	29	10	27	29	20	20	16	19	22	21	19	21	16	20	20	22	23
Not at all	36	3	64	12	9	61	39	37	34	35	33	40	32	33	38	35	27	38	41	49
TOTAL NOT A LOT/ AT ALL	56	10	91	41	19	88	68	57	54	51	52	62	53	52	59	51	47	58	63	72
Don't know	8	5	2	6	6	3	5	5	11	14	12	6	3	7	9	11	10	6	6	4

Andrew Lansley

A lot	3	10	0	1	8	1	1	4	3	3	2	2	5	4	2	3	5	2	3	2
A little	14	31	3	20	27	3	11	17	11	13	12	13	17	15	12	14	17	13	12	8
TOTAL A LITTLE/ A LOT	17	41	3	21	35	4	12	21	14	16	14	15	22	19	14	17	22	15	15	10
Not a lot	21	17	20	29	20	20	23	21	20	17	18	21	24	20	21	18	22	19	19	28
Not at all	29	6	49	18	11	49	30	32	27	25	27	33	30	31	28	28	25	31	33	36
TOTAL NOT A LOT/ AT ALL	50	23	69	47	31	69	53	53	47	42	45	54	54	51	49	46	47	50	52	64
Don't know	33	36	27	32	34	27	34	26	39	42	41	31	23	30	37	37	32	35	32	27

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Nick Clegg

A lot	5	12	0	15	10	1	4	6	4	2	4	5	7	6	4	5	6	4	4	4
A little	25	46	8	55	39	8	30	25	24	29	26	23	24	28	20	27	30	24	21	16
TOTAL A LITTLE/ A LOT	30	58	8	70	49	9	34	31	28	31	30	28	31	34	24	32	36	28	25	20
Not a lot	24	24	25	19	26	25	26	25	24	17	22	25	28	25	23	22	25	24	23	31
Not at all	36	7	63	6	14	61	33	38	34	34	33	39	36	32	41	33	27	38	44	45
TOTAL NOT A LOT/ AT ALL	60	31	88	25	40	86	59	63	58	51	55	64	64	57	64	55	52	62	67	76
Don't know	10	11	3	6	11	5	7	7	14	19	15	8	5	9	12	13	13	10	8	5

Ed Miliband

A lot	9	1	23	3	1	23	8	10	8	8	5	10	10	8	10	13	7	8	12	4
A little	30	13	53	24	15	50	32	31	29	37	32	29	25	31	27	24	25	33	33	38
TOTAL A LITTLE/ A LOT	39	14	76	27	16	73	40	41	37	45	37	39	35	39	37	37	32	41	45	42
Not a lot	24	34	12	35	32	13	26	23	25	17	22	23	28	25	21	24	26	23	20	28
Not at all	25	42	5	27	42	6	23	28	23	18	22	27	30	25	26	26	27	26	23	25
TOTAL NOT A LOT/ AT ALL	49	76	17	62	74	19	49	51	48	35	44	50	58	50	47	50	53	49	43	53
Don't know	12	10	7	11	11	8	11	8	16	19	18	11	7	11	15	13	15	11	12	5

The government are currently planning to reform the NHS. Currently health services are commissioned by local Heath Trusts. Under the government's plans local Heath Trusts would be abolished, and health services would instead be commissioned by consortiums made up of groups of local GPs.

From what you have read or heard about these plans, do you support or oppose these proposals?

Strongly support	3	8	2	0	7	2	1	4	2	5	2	2	4	3	3	3	3	1	5	2
Tend to support	24	48	8	33	43	8	19	27	21	14	25	23	29	26	22	22	27	27	20	21
TOTAL SUPPORT	27	56	10	33	50	10	20	31	23	19	27	25	33	29	25	25	30	28	25	23
Tend to oppose	27	20	30	35	21	31	33	23	30	27	29	26	26	29	24	25	26	26	27	32
Strongly oppose	25	7	46	14	10	44	28	29	22	20	20	29	28	24	27	27	22	25	30	27
TOTAL OPPOSE	52	27	76	49	31	75	61	52	52	47	49	55	54	53	51	52	48	51	57	59
Don't know	21	18	14	17	19	16	20	16	25	35	24	19	13	18	24	23	22	21	18	19

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The government have recently announced that they will pause the introduction of their NHS reforms, to allow time to listen to people's concerns over the changes and reflect on what to do next. What would you like to see the government do with their programme of NHS reform?

Continue with the reforms as they currently stand	3	5	2	2	5	3	1	4	2	1	4	2	3	3	3	3	4	2	3	2
Continue with the reforms, but make some changes to address people's criticisms	47	77	23	66	73	23	45	47	46	38	42	45	56	49	44	45	51	51	40	43
Abandon the proposed reforms completely	34	10	61	21	14	59	38	37	32	29	32	37	36	33	36	35	30	31	41	37
Don't know	16	8	14	11	9	16	16	12	20	32	22	15	5	15	18	17	16	16	16	18

Moving on...

Internships are when young people spend a period working for a company, often unpaid, to gain work experience and contacts
Who do you think benefits the most from internships?

The companies employing interns	33	23	43	23	26	42	33	35	32	25	31	37	34	31	37	26	32	34	36	39
The interns themselves	14	22	10	17	22	10	11	16	13	29	15	11	13	17	10	15	14	11	18	12
Both equally	44	52	38	56	48	39	48	41	48	33	46	45	48	45	43	50	47	47	37	42
Neither	3	1	5	0	1	3	2	4	2	6	2	3	2	2	4	2	2	4	2	3
Don't know	5	2	4	5	2	6	6	5	5	7	7	5	4	5	6	6	5	5	6	4

What do you think the minimum amount is that companies should be allowed to pay interns?

The minimum wage	62	57	66	73	57	67	67	63	62	58	59	68	61	61	64	57	61	62	64	72
Basic expenses like travel	19	26	14	16	25	15	17	18	19	24	24	13	18	22	14	28	19	16	16	15
No minimum	11	11	13	6	11	11	9	11	11	14	8	11	14	10	13	8	12	12	13	8
Don't know	8	6	7	4	6	7	8	7	8	5	9	8	8	7	9	8	8	9	7	4

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Do you think internships do or do not give an unfair advantage to young people whose parents have money to support them or good contacts to arrange internships?

Do give an unfair advantage	60	52	70	60	53	70	63	61	59	61	55	61	63	61	59	56	62	57	60	66
Do not give an unfair advantage	20	32	14	18	31	14	15	22	18	24	22	19	19	22	18	23	21	18	22	14
Don't know	20	16	17	21	16	16	22	17	22	15	23	21	19	18	23	21	18	24	19	20

Some people have suggested that the government should regulate internships, by regulating the amount of money they pay or forcing companies to formally advertise them. Would you support or oppose such measures?

Strongly support	19	16	24	22	16	23	23	21	18	24	21	18	16	19	19	15	20	21	17	21
Tend to support	46	47	45	51	48	43	47	42	49	34	48	46	47	49	41	43	43	47	49	47
TOTAL SUPPORT	65	63	69	73	64	66	70	63	67	58	69	64	63	68	60	58	63	68	66	68
Tend to oppose	11	17	9	15	14	10	9	13	9	18	9	9	12	12	10	16	12	9	8	12
Strongly oppose	4	5	2	2	6	2	3	5	2	4	2	4	4	4	3	4	5	2	4	0
TOTAL OPPOSE	15	22	11	17	20	12	12	18	11	22	11	13	16	16	13	20	17	11	12	12
Don't know	21	15	20	10	17	22	19	19	22	19	20	22	20	16	27	22	19	21	22	19

Which of the following best reflects your view of this?

If companies want to take on interns, and young people are happy to work for little or no money to get a foot on the ladder, then the government has no business interfering	30	49	19	27	43	21	24	32	28	30	28	28	33	31	28	33	33	30	28	19
Internships give an unfair advantage to young people who parents have good contacts or who can afford to work for free, the government should intervene to give young people with fewer advantages an equal chance	53	38	67	53	41	63	60	50	55	47	52	55	52	52	53	48	50	55	51	66
Neither	9	9	9	11	10	9	8	10	8	13	9	8	9	9	9	13	8	7	10	9
Don't know	8	5	5	9	5	7	8	8	8	10	10	9	6	8	9	6	9	8	11	6

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When Nick Clegg himself was young his father arranged an internship for him at a Finnish bank. Some people have said that it is hypocritical for Nick Clegg to criticise people getting internships through family contacts when he once benefitted the same way himself. Other people think that Nick Clegg's own background should prevent him from speaking out on the issue. Which of the following best reflects your view?

Nick Clegg is a hypocrite from criticising people for using family connections to get an internship when his own father did the same for him
It is not Nick Clegg's fault that he comes from an affluent background, and it shouldn't stop him wanting to give young people from poorer backgrounds the same chances
Neither
Don't know

41	28	59	11	33	60	34	44	38	33	37	45	43	38	45	42	37	37	47	50
46	63	33	82	57	29	57	44	48	52	46	42	49	51	41	45	50	51	41	39
5	6	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	3	6	5	5	5	5	6	5	5	5	7
7	4	4	3	5	6	5	6	8	12	10	7	3	6	9	7	8	7	7	4

Below are a list of professions, for each one please say whether you think how well people do in that profession is more about what they know and how good they are, or more about who they know, and what contacts they have.

The legal profession

Mostly about what you know and how good you are
Mostly about who you know and what contacts you have
Neither
Not sure

42	50	40	42	50	36	42	40	44	49	42	40	40	43	40	36	42	43	43	42
40	36	43	46	35	44	44	42	38	38	34	41	46	42	37	45	41	37	39	41
6	5	7	4	5	8	4	7	5	1	8	7	5	5	8	6	5	7	7	8
12	9	10	8	10	12	11	11	13	11	15	12	9	10	14	13	13	13	10	9

Accountancy

Mostly about what you know and how good you are
Mostly about who you know and what contacts you have
Neither
Not sure

59	70	53	67	69	48	63	56	61	65	57	58	58	62	54	56	59	59	59	58
20	16	25	18	15	27	18	22	17	19	20	18	21	20	20	21	20	19	20	19
9	7	10	7	7	11	7	10	8	3	7	11	10	8	10	8	8	8	10	11
13	7	13	8	9	13	13	11	14	12	15	12	11	10	16	15	12	15	11	11

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good you are	8	11	8	9	12	9	6	8	9	8	9	8	8	7	10	9	8	8	10	6
contacts you have	76	79	77	81	77	74	81	77	75	78	71	78	79	81	70	74	76	76	77	79
Neither	6	3	8	2	4	8	5	7	5	1	7	6	6	5	7	5	6	5	5	9
Not sure	10	6	7	8	7	9	8	9	11	14	14	8	7	8	13	12	10	11	8	7
good you are	71	79	68	74	78	67	73	69	73	68	70	71	74	73	68	67	72	73	70	72
contacts you have	11	7	15	9	8	14	11	12	10	19	8	11	10	12	10	10	11	8	14	12
Neither	8	8	9	11	6	10	8	9	8	2	8	10	10	7	10	10	9	7	9	8
Not sure	10	6	8	6	8	10	8	10	9	11	14	9	6	8	12	13	9	12	8	9
good you are	21	24	22	21	24	22	21	20	22	15	17	22	27	21	22	23	20	17	26	18
contacts you have	56	59	57	55	58	56	55	57	56	74	56	55	51	59	53	55	58	58	54	56
Neither	10	9	10	14	8	11	12	11	9	1	11	11	13	10	11	5	11	10	10	15
Not sure	12	9	11	9	10	11	12	12	13	11	16	12	10	11	14	16	11	15	9	11
good you are	22	21	23	23	20	24	19	23	21	22	17	23	25	23	21	21	24	19	22	24
contacts you have	55	62	52	52	63	49	56	53	56	64	56	53	51	57	52	54	54	56	57	45
Neither	11	8	12	16	8	14	12	12	10	3	11	12	14	11	12	9	11	11	11	18
Not sure	12	8	12	9	10	12	12	12	13	12	16	12	9	10	15	16	11	14	10	13

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Do you think universities should or should not take into account the social background of applicants and the type of school they attended when deciding whether to offer them a place?

Should take these factors into account	19	13	22	24	15	26	20	21	17	18	17	20	19	20	16	24	18	18	18	18
Should not take these factors into account	73	82	71	70	80	65	74	73	74	69	71	73	78	71	77	65	74	75	75	77
Not sure	8	5	7	5	5	9	6	7	9	13	12	7	3	9	7	11	8	8	7	5

Universities are currently announcing the levels of fees they will charge under the new system of tuition fees. Under the new scheme, students will not have to pay tuition fees up front, but will pay them through a student loan which they will have to pay back after graduation once they are earning over £21,000 a year. So far, it looks as though most universities will be charging fees of between £8000 and £9000 a year.

Do you think tuition fees at this level will or will not lead to fewer people attending university?

Will probably lead to fewer people attending university	76	73	80	73	75	81	76	74	78	75	73	76	79	77	74	77	75	80	76	70
Will probably not lead to fewer people attending university	18	23	16	22	21	15	17	20	16	19	18	19	17	17	20	17	19	13	20	22
Don't know	6	4	4	5	3	4	7	5	6	6	9	5	4	6	6	6	6	7	5	7

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Which, if any, of the following changes have made to you own household spending in response to the current economic situation?

Please tick all that apply

I have spent less on the weekly food shop	49	41	57	44	46	55	48	41	57	45	50	54	45	46	53	47	51	52	46	51
I have cut back on leisure activities for me or my family	40	33	44	44	34	44	40	39	40	37	47	44	29	37	43	37	40	41	39	42
I have cut down on drinking or smoking	24	20	28	26	22	27	24	28	21	24	27	27	20	24	26	18	22	28	28	27
I have cancelled plans for a summer holiday	20	16	24	16	19	24	18	21	19	15	21	27	14	20	21	20	21	16	21	25
I have cancelled magazine or other subscriptions	18	17	20	14	17	21	18	19	16	13	15	20	19	18	18	18	18	17	16	22
I have cancelled gym or sports club membership	13	11	14	9	13	15	10	13	13	21	15	13	7	14	12	15	10	12	16	12
I have sold my car or replaced it with a smaller model	6	6	4	7	7	3	5	6	5	3	6	8	4	5	7	5	6	6	6	4
None of these	30	38	25	30	34	25	31	33	27	34	22	27	38	31	27	31	30	28	30	30
Don't know	2	1	1	1	0	2	2	2	2	5	4	1	0	1	3	5	2	1	1	0

Do you think the government were right or wrong to protect their spending on International Aid from the cuts programme?

Right to protect from cuts	19	19	22	35	16	22	26	21	17	23	21	17	18	23	14	26	20	17	15	21
Wrong - international aid should have been cut	63	71	60	47	73	59	57	70	58	51	57	67	70	62	65	52	63	63	68	69
Don't know	18	10	18	18	12	19	17	10	25	26	22	16	12	15	22	22	17	20	16	10

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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

On a different subject

Do you think the law should or should not be changed to allow someone to assist in the suicide of...

...someone suffering from a terminal illness?

The law should be changed to make this legal	67	68	62	69	67	62	68	69	65	67	68	70	61	65	69	61	67	66	66	74
The law should not be changed to make this legal	16	19	17	16	20	17	13	16	16	16	15	15	18	17	15	19	17	16	14	14
Not sure	17	13	21	15	14	21	20	15	20	17	17	16	20	18	17	20	16	18	20	12

...someone suffering from a painful, incurable but NOT terminal illness?

The law should be changed to make this legal	41	40	37	41	40	37	43	42	40	49	41	41	37	40	43	35	44	40	38	47
The law should not be changed to make this legal	33	38	33	35	38	35	28	34	32	31	28	34	38	34	31	35	30	34	34	33
Not sure	26	21	30	23	22	28	29	24	28	20	31	26	25	26	26	30	25	26	27	20

And finally

Which, if any, of the following are you planning to do for the Royal Wedding later this month?

Please tick all that apply

Attend a street party	3	5	2	2	4	3	3	3	3	6	4	3	2	3	3	5	5	2	2	2
Go to London to see the wedding procession	2	3	2	0	3	2	0	2	1	6	2	1	0	2	1	8	1	0	2	0
Watch the wedding on television	35	46	32	33	45	35	30	23	47	31	33	31	44	37	34	34	37	35	38	26
Try my best to ignore it	35	24	39	35	26	39	40	46	24	31	31	40	34	35	35	30	34	34	36	45
None of these	23	22	23	25	22	21	23	24	22	25	26	23	18	22	24	25	20	26	21	28
Don't know	5	5	4	4	3	4	6	4	5	6	6	4	4	4	6	6	6	5	4	0

YouGov Weighting Data

In addition to weighting by age, gender, social class and region (weighted and unweighted figures shown in the tables), YouGov also weighted its raw data by newspaper readership and political party identification:

		Unweighted no.	Weighted no.
Age and Gender			
	Male 18 to 24	52	137
	Male 25 to 39	227	282
	Male 40 to 59	411	373
	Male 60 +	352	280
	Female 18 to 24	79	130
	Female 25 to 39	307	280
	Female 40 to 59	497	382
	Female 60 +	281	342
Region			
	North England	528	543
	Midlands	310	362
	East England	202	212
	London	316	282
	South England	548	505
	Wales	100	110
	Scotland	202	192
Social Grade			
	AB	861	618
	C1	602	640
	C2	318	463
	DE	425	485
Newspaper Type			
	Express / Mail	493	331
	Sun / Star	271	474
	Mirror / Record	129	342
	Guardian / Independent	161	66
	FT / Times / Telegraph	178	188
	Other Paper	277	254
	No Paper	697	552
Political Party Identification			
	Labour	624	713
	Conservative	567	616
	Liberal Democrat	259	254
	Others	186	65
	None/ DK	539	529

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